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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Sophia S. Chen
Naoki MATSUMARU, et al.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2852
Appln. No.: 10/687,735)	
	:	Allowed: March 3, 2005
Filed: October 20, 2003)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 9257
For: DEVELOPING APPARATUS)	
	:	May 4, 2005

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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22130-1450

SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED SHEETS OF THE DRAWINGS

Sir:

Applicants are in receipt of a Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due form (the "Notice of Allowance") dated March 3, 2005. The combined Issue and Publication Fees are due no later than June 3, 2005, and are being paid concurrently herewith.

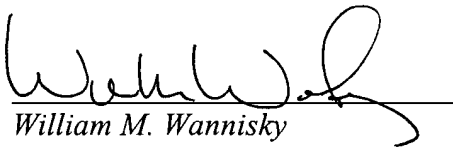
Enclosed are four (4) sheets of corrected formal drawings to be substituted for the corresponding drawing sheets presently on file in the above-identified application.

The substitute corrected drawing sheets include the amendments set forth in the Request for Approval to Amend the Drawings, dated February 8, 2005. The Examiner required the submission of corrected drawings in the Notice of Allowability attached to the Notice of Allowance.

Favorable consideration hereof is earnestly solicited.

Applicants' undersigned attorney can be reached in our Washington office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our New York office at the below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Wannisky', written over a horizontal line.

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